

## ESTIMATE JUNIOR HIGH LOSS AT \$350,000

### President Remon of Panama is Assassinated; Ex-President Arrested

Remon, Two Others  
Die in Burst of  
Gunfire at Track

PANAMA CITY (AP) — Panama's military police arrested former President Arnulfo Arias and many of his followers today in a hunt for the tommygun assassins of President Jose A. Remon.

Among the scores of suspects picked up in the lightning-like raids was a woman believed to be the mysterious "gun moll" who may have given the assassins the signal to fire Sunday night.

### Charles Joseph Boyd is Winner Of Baby Derby

Charles Joseph Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boyd, 506 North Granger, is the winner of the 1955 Baby Derby sponsored by The Daily Register in cooperation with 26 Harrisburg merchants. The eight pound 14 ounce baby was delivered by Dr. B. E. Montgomery Jan. 1 at 6:36 p. m. in the Harrisburg hospital.

The mother is the former Eileen Isaacs of Topeka, Kan., and the father, son of Mrs. Lena Shoemaker, was separated from the Air Force in August of last year and is now studying for the ministry.

Here is what the winner will receive from Harrisburg merchants: Pair of Ideal Baby shoes from the Fashion Palace, Hankcraft baby bottle warmer from Skaggs Electric, to mother a pair of Primrose from Arensmans, six Bluebird nursing bottles complete and a formula pitcher from Ray's Drugs, a comb and brush set from Jackson's Drug store;

Automatic Hankcraft bottle warmer from Rainbow's Rexall Drug store, Johnson's Deluxe Baby Gift Box from The Webster Pharmacy, a \$2.00 gift certificate from The Lynn Shop, pair of Nite Life house slippers for mother Polks Shoe store, Playtex Dryer party set with a box of Dryer pads from Skaggs Pharmacy;

A baby bottle warmer from Barter's Rexall Drug store, a Holmes & Edwards spoon and fork starter set from Winkelman's, a half-dozen diapers from Brokerage, a quart of Dairy Brand milk each day for a month from Dairy Brand, a "Teddy-Tot" baby car seat from Mac's Car and Home Supply;

An all metal kitchen utility table from Craggs-DeVilleville Furniture, two Lucky Leroy cakes for two weeks from Pankey's Bakery, a dress and suit cleaned and pressed by Brownie, the baby's portrait by The Foster Studio, 50 birth announcements and envelopes from The Register Commercial Department;

A flower arrangement from The Posey Shop, a plastic ruffled bassinet liner from Petty's Furniture and Decorators, solid gold baby ring from W. A. Grant Jewelry Co., a tie for dad from the Palace Clothing House, six delicious barbecues for the parents from Buck's Bar-B-Q and a pair of stretchy socks for dad from Bob Burnett's.

### Burglars Enter Cafe Near Eldorado

The Town House cafe, on Route 45 south of Eldorado, was burglarized by robbers who broke open a safe and took between \$600 and \$700 in currency, Deputy Sheriff James Lyon reported today.

Lyon said the burglary occurred sometime after 2 a. m. Sunday when the proprietor, Gene Shadwell, departed.

The thieves entered by breaking a small hole in a window and unlatching it. Inside they first knocked the combination off a small safe, then pried open the door to get the money.

Also taken was a 16 gauge shotgun.

### The Weather

ILLINOIS: Cloudy, occasional rain or drizzle tonight and Tuesday. Continued mild south and central. Somewhat colder extreme north Tuesday. Low tonight 40-50 south and central. High Tuesday 60 along Ohio river.

| Local Temperature |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| Sunday            | Monday          |
| 3 p. m. .... 57   | 3 a. m. .... 49 |
| 6 p. m. .... 51   | 6 a. m. .... 48 |
| 9 p. m. .... 48   | 9 a. m. .... 54 |
| 12 mid. .... 46   | 12 noon .... 60 |

### March of Dimes Campaign Will Begin Here Tuesday

The 1955 March of Dimes campaign will start in Harrisburg Tuesday, Jan. 4, and continue through Jan. 31, County Chairman A. M. Hetherington announced today.

In discussing the March of Dimes campaign Mr. Hetherington stated the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis faces a bigger job this year because the job of protecting healthy children has been added to the task of providing care for the stricken. Also there have been more polio cases in recent years and more patients are returning for additional treatment.

The national goal during the March of Dimes is \$64,000,000.

R. C. "Stopper" Adams is general chairman for Harrisburg township and his wife, Gloria, is in charge of distributing the coin collectors locally.

Other community chairman will be announced later. Mr. Hetherington stated, adding that the Saline County American Legion Council will again take an active part in the fund raising campaign, with the various posts, under the direction of their commanders, heading up a program in their town.

Supplies are being prepared to mail to all schools in the county, it was stated.

### \$300,000 Fire Destroys Fourth Of Carmi High

CARMI, Ill. (AP)—A \$300,000 fire Sunday destroyed one-fourth of the Carmi Township high school, giving the 512 students an extended holiday vacation until temporary repairs can be made.

Principal U. B. Jeffries made the damage estimate. The school was expected to reopen by the end of the week.

The fire was discovered about 1 a. m. Sunday, only three hours after the end of the Big Four holiday basketball tournament in an adjoining gymnasium.

The blaze evidently originated in an air duct leading upward between an incinerator and furnace. But the cause was unknown.

Nine classrooms were destroyed as the fire burned out the center section and burned through the roof.

The new east and west additions, completed last August at a cost of \$750,000, suffered only slight water damage.

School Records Saved  
Eight pieces of fire-fighting equipment fought the flames for five hours. Halliburton Cementing Co. of Grayville sent two big pumps that are used to fight oil well fires. Other trucks came from Fairfield, Grayville, Crossville, Enfield and Carmi. Albion sent a crew of firefighters. The North City fire truck broke down on the way to the fire.

Tank trucks carried water to the scene to supplement the city's water supply.

School records were saved and the heating plant was not damaged. The section destroyed was built in 1918 and remodeled and enlarged in 1935. The last person in the school before the fire was discovered was a janitor who left the furnace room about 11:50 p. m. Saturday.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the Church of God on North Main street in Carrier Mills. Rev. Carl Hanvey, pastor, and Rev. Elmer Grisham, Harrisburg, will officiate, and burial will be in the Salem cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Opal, and one daughter, Lila Lee Walton, Carrier Mills; a grandson, Ronnie Walton; one sister, Mrs. Wayne Connott of Marion, and four brothers, R. J. of Stonefort RFD 2, Luther of Marion, Paul of Rochester, Mich., and Everett of Carrier Mills, and his father, Charles Parton, who makes his home with Everett.

Palbearers will be Carl, Kenneth, George, Bobby Wayne, Jimmie and Junior Parton.

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Carl Raymond Gibbs, 39, World War II veteran, died at 1:30 p. m. in the veterans hospital in St. Louis, Mo., following an illness of a year and a half.

He leaves his wife, the former Jean Hayden of Muddy; his mother, Mrs. Tom Gibbs, and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Virginia Blockberger, Alton, Mrs. Alma Myers, Grafton, Ill., Gladys, Cecil and Glenn Gibbs, all of Harrisburg, and Tom Jr. of Detroit, Mich.

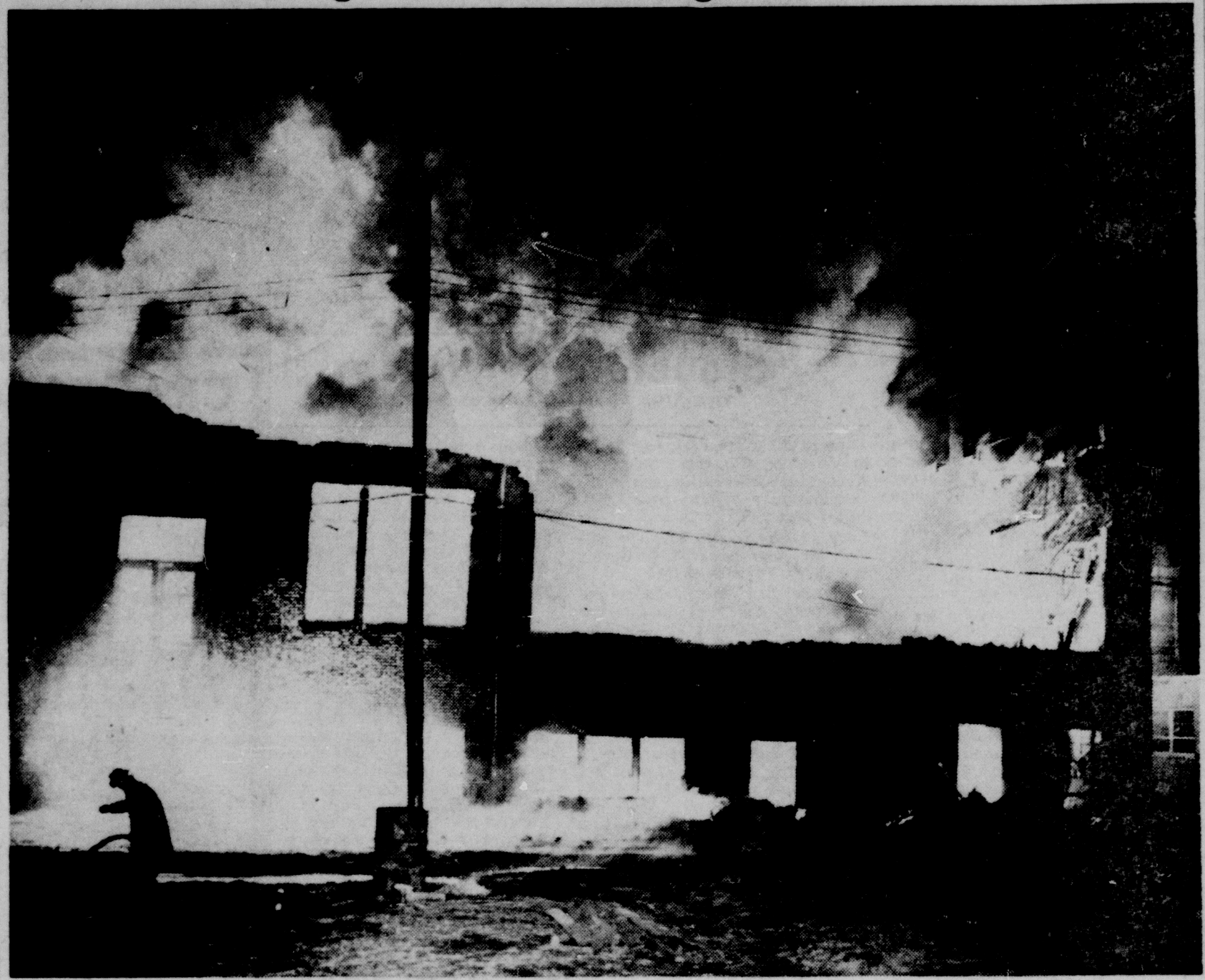
Funeral services were held today at 2 p. m. at the Turner funeral home. Rev. W. L. Cummins officiated, and burial was in Sunset Lawn cemetery.

Also surviving are a sister, Miss Bess Gates, Harrisburg; two brothers, Fred Gates, Denver, Colo., and Arthur Gates, Murphysboro. There are four grandchildren.

The body will be taken from the Wright funeral home of Shawneetown to lie in state at the home of the son, Murray, in Junction.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the General Baptist church in Junction, conducted by Rev. Albert Harris, with burial in Westwood cemetery near Shawneetown.

### When Junior High School Building Burned Down



A REAR WALL HAS COLLAPSED and flames shoot high into the sky at height of Junior high school blaze New Year's morning. Flames brightened the sky for miles around, a Marion fireman stating the fire was seen as the Marion truck rounded Dead Man's curve 10 miles west of Harrisburg. At left can be seen a single fireman.

### Less Than Fifth Of Day's Supply Of Water Used At Fire

Less than one-fifth of a day's supply of water was used in fighting the Harrisburg Junior high school fire New Year's morning, Amos Doom, superintendent of the Water department, said today.

Doom said the gauge at the water plant showed that approximately 145,250 gallons of water were used by the pumps to battle the blaze. About 850,000 gallons are used daily this time of year.

The fire department made another run to the building this morning when flames broke out in the southwest corner of the burned-out structure.

### Olan Parton, 50, Resident of Near Stonefort, Dies

Olan Parton, 50, resident of Stonefort RFD 1 in the New Castle community, died Saturday morning at the Jewish hospital in St. Louis, Mo., after a lingering illness.

He was the son of Charlie and the late Mrs. Rose Parton, last working at the Sahara No. 5 coal company.

The body was returned to the residence by the Miller funeral home in Carrier Mills.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the Church of God on North Main street in Carrier Mills. Rev. Carl Hanvey, pastor, and Rev. Elmer Grisham, Harrisburg, will officiate, and burial will be in the Salem cemetery.

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TWO VOLUNTEER FIREMEN send stream of water into window at rear of structure as flames and smoke obscure most of back wall, a portion of which had just collapsed as picture was made. The fire started at this end of the building. Pictures of fire in today's Daily Register were taken by John R. Small, Register staff member.



PROTECTING NEW ADDITION, seen at left, are group of firemen (Chief Ray Johnson wearing cap, back to camera) and volunteers, standing at northeast corner of original structure. An outdoor basketball goal survived the blaze.

(More Fire Pictures on Inside Pages of Today's Register)

### Study Problem Of Classes for 350 Students

Old Building Is Destroyed by New Year's Fire

Board of education members and school officials today pondered the problem of getting classes resumed for about 350 Harrisburg Junior high school pupils following the disastrous New Year's Day fire that destroyed the original Junior high school building. There was no school today.

School board members estimated the cost to replace at \$350,000, which makes the fire one of the most damaging ever to occur in Saline county. Many of the records in the central office were saved, however.

The fire was first spotted around 2:30 a. m. and by 5:30 it was under control as Carrier Mills, Eldorado, Marion and Herrin fire departments joined the Harrisburg crew in playing a dozen streams of water onto the burning building. Cause had not been determined.

The old building was a total loss, and there was damage to the new addition completed this fall. It consisted of extensive heat damage to the new library and contents, and smoke and water damage to other parts.

Fire Departments Respond  
City Fireman Lawrence Logsdon, who was on duty at the city hall at the time, said he received simultaneously a telephone call and a police radio message that the Junior high school was afire.

Hastening to the scene, he said, there was a big blaze in the northeast part of the old building that had illuminated all of the old gymnasium.

He told the two night policemen, John Stunson and Paul Abney, to call Eldorado and Carrier Mills, and the fire departments from these two towns were here in short order. Later, Marion and Herrin arrived on the scene.

The two policemen said they smelled smoke while cruising on West Poplar street, and traced the odor to the Junior high school. Two persons living in the neighborhood saw the blaze about the same time and turned in alarms by telephone.

Hundreds Attracted to Scene  
A short time after the Harrisburg fire department arrived on the scene the fire broke through the roof, and brightened the New Year's morning sky with flames that leaped more than 100 feet. The entire area was illuminated and it was an eerie sight as the flames were reflected in the windows of residences two and three blocks from the scene.

The fire attracted hundreds of persons. Some were New Year's celebrants already dressed. Some persons had merely donned a robe over pajamas and put on house shoes.

The wind was slight and from the south, which meant that the flames were pushing toward the new addition, but it meant that the houses to the south and to the east on South and Jackson were not in immediate danger.

However, burning embers floated

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### Number of Places Available for Junior High Classes

With the problem of finding a place or places to resume classes for Junior high school pupils facing school authorities, a number of possible places are available.

The new addition to the school can be used in 10 days or two weeks. First, clearance must be obtained from insurance adjusters and a heating plant must be installed to get heat into the new building.

Part of the Harrisburg Township high school already has been offered to take care of some of the classes and other possible sites mentioned are the First Baptist education building, the First Presbyterian building and the Christian church building.

Another building offered is the Woolcott Mill building at its new Route 45 and Church street location. This is the building which formerly housed the Southeastern Illinois Electric co-operative, Inc.

The Harrisburg City Schools board of education was slated to meet this afternoon to delve further into the matter of sites for classes.

### MINES

Sahara 5, 6, 16 and second wash-er shift work.  
Peabody 43 works.  
Blue Bird 7 and 8 work.  
Carmac works.



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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY  
— Luke 18:13.

All have sinned. May be we  
have not committed gross and  
sensational sins, but envy and jealousy  
and selfishness are sins too.

## Outlook for The New Year

Editorial — By BRUCE BISSAT  
As the year 1955 dawns, we  
Americans can look forward with  
reasonable confidence that it will  
be a good 12 months.

The great threat to our safety  
and tranquility, the Soviet Union,  
is still the menace it was. But we  
are stronger in our ties with other  
free nations, and in our resolve  
to have the means to counter any  
blow the Russians may strike.

Furthermore, it has become  
clearer in recent months that in  
President Eisenhower we have a  
Chief Executive who is dedicated  
to the proposition that in the hy-  
drogen age there must be no more  
wars. He believes another world  
conflict would be a war of mutual  
annihilation.

This does not mean we would  
yield our liberties without a fight.  
It is our leaders' best hope that if  
we are strong enough we can  
avoid war and still keep our free-  
doms.

Certainly we must all find com-  
fort in this: That neither the Pres-  
ident nor any other responsible  
officer of government sees war as  
desirable or inevitable. The whole  
burden of our national effort  
is toward assuring that it never  
happens again.

But the full promise of 1955 does  
not reside alone in the knowledge  
that our leaders are thus dedi-  
cated to our security. They are also  
acutely conscious of our wish to  
achieve a steady state of well-be-  
ing, and hopes for this, too, seem  
bright.

The year just closed brought  
America's economy to its lowest  
ebb since 1950. Yet as 1954 ran  
out the signs were strong that a  
new surge of activity had begun.  
In some fields new records were  
set, and the country's mood again  
grew optimistic.

With this change, the specter of  
real depression, always a haunting  
memory for any who had known  
the 1930's, faded perceptibly. The  
fear of privation and hardship less-  
ened.

To see this fear diminish is a  
heartening sight. Unhappily we  
cannot so easily rid ourselves of  
our other great fear—that the ag-  
gressive designs of Russia may  
plunge the world into atomic war.

But if we are true to the best  
we have in us as Americans, we  
will not let this fear drive us ei-  
ther to some kind of surrender nor  
to an impulsive lashing out at the  
enemy just to relieve the strain.

We will hold firm and steady  
until that day when the staggering  
threat of Russia shall somehow  
grow small—even though that may  
not be until many more years than  
1955 have passed.

If you find that your self-polish-  
ing wax is being tracked into ad-  
joining rooms, you have too much  
wax on the floors. Remove all wax  
and rinse thoroughly. Let the floor  
dry and start over again.

The National Guard, originally  
"militia," took its present name  
to honor Lafayette, French Garde  
Nationale chief.

## Beautiful, Willful, Desirable Queen



Queenie was the toast of the men who sailed steamboats up  
and down the Colorado River in the gold rush days. And  
without intending to do so, she added to the flames of the  
struggle between Capt. Irving Crotch and a powerful com-  
bine that sought to bring about his ruin. Read the exciting  
western story—

Fight the Wild River

By Edmunds Claussen

STARTS TODAY IN

The Daily Register

## The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND by DREW PEARSON



DREW PEARSON Says: U.  
S. Could Have Avoided French  
Crisis Over German Rearma-  
ment; Dulles Didn't Follow  
Up His October Victory In  
Paris; Senators Will Bar Kefauver  
From Another Crime  
Probe.

WASHINGTON. — Important  
backstage factors contributed to  
the narrow squeak of Premier  
Mendes-France on German rear-  
armament. The fight could have  
been prevented had Secretary of  
State Dulles been on his toes.

Here is the inside story of what  
happened:  
After Secretary Dulles came  
back from his emergency October  
meeting in Paris, he was the star  
performer at a televised cabinet  
meeting where he explained the  
compromise plan he had worked  
out with Mendes-France and the  
British to replace EDC. He had  
flown to Paris after the French  
junked the long-debated EDC plan  
for a united European army. His  
compromise was acclaimed in the  
United States as a great diplomatic  
victory, and also seemed reason-  
ably acceptable to the French.

At this point all looked well. But  
at this point two things happened.  
The Russians started a terrific  
campaign to change the French,  
while the Eisenhower adminis-  
tration did almost nothing.

Secretary Dulles has frequently  
seemed to believe that the mere  
enunciation of a policy means the  
adoption of that policy. He has  
been content to make a statement  
or a speech, then sit back and as-  
sume that this statement is being  
put into effect, when as a matter  
of cold diplomatic fact it always  
takes a lot of follow-up to make  
a policy stick.

MEAGER U. S. PROPAGANDA  
This was what happened after  
the optimistic Nixon and Dulles  
by Eisenhower, Nixon and Dulles  
last year regarding Indo-China. It  
was also what happened after the  
German rearmament compromise  
was worked out in Paris last Octo-  
ber.

Immediately the Russians pour-  
ed all the propaganda possible into  
France, while Dulles did almost  
nothing. The Russians spend  
\$112,000,000 a year on propaganda  
for France alone. The United  
States spends \$85,000,000 a year for  
the entire world. This is because  
of recent budget-cutting.

And while the Russians sent di-  
plomatic notes to the French and  
British warning that their non-  
aggression pacts would be cancel-  
led, they also beamed a stream of  
tough radio broadcasts to the  
French and British people.

Result: The comfortable margin  
which Premier Mendes-France  
seemed to have in October dwind-  
led to almost zero.

Only at the last minute, after  
the first negative vote in the  
French Chamber, did John Foster  
Dulles call in newsmen and in-  
sist news stories to Paris that  
France was "voting itself into  
oblivion." After that, German re-  
armament squeaked through the  
French chamber. But what diplo-  
matic observers fear is that Men-  
des-France will be thrown out as  
premier next spring by the en-  
emies of German rearmament.

### WASHINGTON PIPELINE

Joe McCarthy has now adopted  
the martyr complex. Friends ex-  
plain that Joe hasn't long to live,  
but he wouldn't have blasted Eis-  
enhower had it not been for his  
poor health. . . . Though President  
Eisenhower is in the restaurant  
business, he seems to like his com-  
petitors. Ike has been a silent  
partner in two Howard Johnson  
restaurants in Washington, but the  
other day he visited the black  
Angus farm of his chief competi-  
tor, Hot Shoppe owner J. Willard  
Marriott, at Hume, Va.

George Allen, the White House  
jester under Truman, got like into  
the Howard Johnson business, also  
handled the purchase of his Gettys-  
burg farm, plus other business  
matters. Bill Robinson of the  
Robinson-Hannegan public rela-  
tions firm says he won't consider  
the Dixon-Yates combine as a cli-  
ent. Robinson says his firm won't  
handle cases involving the govern-  
ment because of his friendship  
with Ike. . . . Paul Butler, the new  
Democratic chairman, had a love  
feast with Harry Truman, the man  
who once opposed him. The two  
got along famously during a visit  
in Kansas City.

### NO CRIME PROBE

Sen. Estes Kefauver is not going  
to hold another crime investiga-

tion if certain Senate leaders, in-  
cluding Lyndon Johnson of Texas,  
can stop it.

The reason is simple: They  
don't want the tall, coonskin-cap-  
ped Tennesseean crowding them  
for the limelight, and especially  
they don't want to give him a  
chance for another presidential  
bid. . . . They know how close he  
came to the nomination in Chica-  
go in 1952, and they don't want to  
take any chances for 1956.

Kefauver has proposed a probe  
of corruption in the boxing-bas-  
ketball-sports world, based on some  
alarming reports compiled for him  
by his old investigator, Downey  
Rice, now working for the Chicago  
Crime Commission; also based on  
the statements of prize-fighter  
Harry Thomas in Sports Illustrated,  
that he was paid to lose his  
fights to Max Schmeling in New  
York and Tony Galento in Phila-  
delphia.

However, opposition to another  
crime probe by Senate colleagues  
has caused Kefauver to write a  
letter to his friend, Sen. Warren  
Magnuson of Washington, new  
chairman of the Senate Interstate  
Commerce Commission, asking  
him to conduct the investigation.  
Magnuson has a fine voting re-  
cord and is one of the most popu-  
lar members of the Senate. He is  
also one of the laziest. What would

happen to any crime probe under  
him remains to be seen.

### UNDER THE DOME

Senator McCarthy is moving in-  
to the office of the man he casti-  
gated during the censure debate—  
Sen. Ed Johnson of Colorado.  
Johnson is giving up his office to  
become Colorado's new governor.

Certain investigators have  
been going around the capital pre-  
tending to be members of the FBI.  
Look out for them. FBI men al-  
ways show you their identification  
card, and don't put their thumb  
over any part of the card. They  
have nothing to hide. The men  
trying to impersonate them do.

G-men fear Soviet agents are  
using TV antennas in American  
cities to disguise secret radio  
transmitters. Powerful TV anten-  
nas can be easily converted to  
transmit signals. Yet they would  
be almost impossible to spot in the  
forest of TV antennas in every big  
city.

Adm. Arthur Radford, the  
Joint Chiefs' chairman, has  
quietly revamped the military ad-  
visory missions in the Far East  
and put the Navy in charge of  
each advisory group. In the past,  
the Army has run the advisory  
missions to our Far Eastern al-  
lies. But Radford has maneuvered  
the Navy in charge, so the Navy  
can control military strategy in  
the Far East.

## Stonefort Register

Mrs. Alvin Nicholson, Correspondent

Misses Joan Hancock and Joyce  
Brinkley of Equality spent last  
Wednesday with Miss Hancock's  
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.  
James Hancock.

Mrs. Gano Gurley and son vis-  
ited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gurley  
and Helen Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Paden and  
son, Keith, and Miss Jo LaVerne  
Parola of California is spending  
the holidays with Mr. and Mrs.  
Alvin Nicholson and other rela-  
tives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McSparrin  
and sons Mr. and Mrs. Joel  
McSparrin and Mr. and Mrs. Addi-  
son Appel and sons spent Christ-  
mas with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mc-  
Sparrin and Mr. and Mrs. A. A.  
Appel.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Greeney  
and daughter, Frances, Mr. and  
Mrs. Glen Gurley, Mr. and Mrs.  
Ron Whiting and son, Jeffery, and  
Miss Helen Gurley all had dinner  
Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs.  
Junior Gurley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hall visited  
on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe  
Odum near Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Holmes vis-  
ited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Melvin Parks Christmas day.

Mrs. Nancy Allen was brought  
home Friday from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edmondson  
enjoyed television with Mr. and  
Mrs. Alvin Nicholson Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Russell  
shopped in Carrier Mills on Wed-  
nesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Paden and  
son, Mr. and Mrs. Rolla White-  
side and Elaine, Judith and Trevor  
Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nichol-  
son and daughters, Tampra and  
Pamala Ann, Mr. and Mrs. John-  
nie Richerson and Jimmie and  
Connie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Wes-  
ter Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil  
Church and sons Michael spent  
Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs.  
Alvin Nicholson.

Those who visited last week with  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Furlong were  
Mrs. Dan White and Mrs. Rose  
Furlong, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Dunn  
and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joel  
Lewis and children, Mr. and Mrs.  
James Murrow and baby, Mr. and  
Mrs. Mont Scott and children, Mr.  
and Mrs. George Lewis and chil-  
dren, and Mr. and Mrs. Logan Fur-  
long.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Trammell  
and son, Mr. and Mrs. David Hill  
and children, Mr. and Mrs. John-  
nie Richerson and children, Mr.  
and Mrs. Sim Richerson and son  
had Christmas dinner with Mr.  
and Mrs. Sim Richerson Sr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lebo and  
sons of Martinsville, Ind., and Mr.  
Lebo's mother, Mrs. Martha Roper  
of Carrier Mills, spent Christmas  
with their sister, Mrs. James Han-  
cock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wasson and  
daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. D.  
Gary visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D.  
Reynolds and family over the week  
end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gurley vis-  
ited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nicholson  
and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Paden and  
Keith Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill visited  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hancock Friday  
night. Other visitors in their home  
last week were Jim Martin of  
Carrier Mills, Elsie Beecher, Mr.  
and Mrs. Rawlings Duvall and  
daughter, Martha, Mrs. Mabel  
Capel of Harrisburg, Mr. and Mrs.  
Lebo and sons and Mrs. Roper had  
Christmas dinner with Mr. and  
Mrs. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Paden and  
son, Keith, and Mr. and Mrs.  
Webster Hall and Mr. and Mrs.  
Alvin Nicholson had Christmas din-  
ner with Mr. and Mrs. Will Hall  
and Mrs. Nancy Allen.

Those who spent Christmas day  
with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill  
were their children, Mr. and Mrs.  
Guy Hill and children, Mr. and  
Mrs. Johnny Hill and children, Mr.  
and Mrs. Cecil Morse and son, Mr.  
and Mrs. Leslie Morse and son,  
Billie, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hill and  
family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill and  
baby, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yarber  
and daughter and Mr. and Mrs.  
David Hill and Martha Carolyn and  
David Sim.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Evetts  
of Georgia spent the past week and  
Christmas with his father and sis-  
ter, Raymond Evetts, and Mr. and  
Mrs. Claud Teal and son, Gene.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henshaw

spent the holidays with their chil-  
dren in Michigan.

Mrs. Emma Catherine McSparrin  
and Mrs. Kate Furlong visited  
Mrs. Cora Green at the Lightner  
hospital on Monday. Mrs. Green  
suffered a broken hip last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill and  
Paul Whitlock enjoyed television  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wal-  
ter Furlong on Monday night.

## Mrs. George McGrainer Dies

Mrs. George McGrainer, 67, of  
the Harco community, died Satur-  
day morning in the Barnes hospital  
in St. Louis, Mo., where she had  
been a patient for two weeks.

Funeral services will be held to-  
morrow at 2 p. m. in the chapel  
of the Harrisburg funeral home.  
Gene Partain will officiate and  
burial will be in the Old Brushy  
cemetery.

Besides her husband she leaves  
three daughters, Lora Hoffman,  
Detroit, Mich., Helen Reeves,  
Christopher, Geneva Hedger, Ho-  
bart, Ind.; seven grandchildren and  
six great-grandchildren; one brother,  
Charley Yarbber, East Gary,  
Ind., and the following half sisters  
and brothers, Rose Stricklin and  
Ruth Wagy, Harrisburg, Lily Le-  
mier, Chicago, Icie Lee Hawk,  
St. Louis, Mo., Luther Yarbber, Har-  
risburg, and Pinckney Yarbber of  
Detroit, Mich.

## Mrs. Hannah Duffy, 76, Mother of Shawneetown High Teacher, Dies

Mrs. Hannah Duffy, 76, mother  
of a teacher in the Shawneetown  
Community high school who re-  
sided in Ridgway, died Friday  
evening.

Funeral services were held to-  
day at 9:30 a. m. at St. Patrick's  
Catholic church in the Pond Settle-  
ment of Gallatin county. Rev. John  
O'Keefe, pastor of the church of-  
ficiated, and burial was in the  
church cemetery.

There were no classes today at  
the high school because of the fu-  
neral of Mrs. Duffy, whose daugh-  
ter, Mrs. Cedric Drone, is a third  
grade teacher at Shawneetown, and  
many friends among the faculty  
and children wished to attend her  
funeral service.

## John Gintert, 83, Of Cave-in-Rock Dies

John Gintert, 83, former resi-  
dent of Karbers Ridge who for  
some time had been living with his  
son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and  
Mrs. Russell Oxford, in Cave-in-  
Rock, died Sunday morning in the  
Lightner hospital.

Funeral services will be held  
Tuesday at 1 p. m. at Vinyard's  
Chapel in Hardin county. Rev.  
Erastus Barger and Rev. Clifford  
Potter will officiate, and burial  
will be in Karbers Ridge cemetery.

## Calendar Of Meetings

There will be a regular meeting  
of Galatia IOOF lodge No. 433  
Tuesday at 7 p. m. Harold Allen,  
N. G.

Pride of Midway No. 679, will  
hold a regular meeting tonight at  
7:30. Anna Lou Sowers, N. G.

The Saline County Association  
for Mentally Retarded Children  
will meet Tuesday at 7 p. m. at the  
Dorrisville school. Important busi-  
ness. All members and others in-  
terested are urged to be present.

Prayer Retreat for all church  
women will be held on Wednesday,  
Jan. 5, in the Presbyterian church,  
beginning at 1 p. m. with dessert.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the  
First Christian church Tuesday  
at 2 p. m.

The B. W. C. of Dorrisville Baptist  
church will meet Tuesday at  
7 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lodema  
Sisk.

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## Galatia Register

Mrs. Edna Jones  
Representative

Miss Loretta Gray is home from  
nurse's training in St. Louis, Mo.,  
visiting home folks and friends  
through the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lockwood,  
Mrs. Anna Quick and Ollie Poole  
took Christmas dinner with Mr. and  
Mrs. Roy Limerick.

Harold Parks of St. Louis, Mo.,  
visited his father and mother, Mr.  
and Mrs. W. I. Parks, through  
Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Gray and  
family spent Christmas day with  
his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs.  
William J. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Alsie Williams of  
Metropolis, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wil-  
liams of Hutsonville and Mr. and  
Mrs. Oscar Clark spent Christmas  
with their mother, Mrs. J. F. Wil-  
liams.

Mrs. Paul Gray has returned  
home from Harrisburg hospital  
with her baby daughter, Susan  
Elaine.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs.  
William Gray through the holidays  
were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips,  
Mr. and Mrs. John Short of Chris-  
topher, Mrs. Etta Gray of Walpole,  
Mr. and Mrs. Noah Williams, Mr.  
and Mrs. Albert French, Mr. and  
Mrs. William DeFalso, Detroit,  
Mich., Mrs. Nannie Ragsdale of Ga-  
latia, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Weir of

Raleigh, Mrs. Essie Adams, W. J.  
Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Aud  
of Equality, Mr. and Mrs. George  
Aud and baby of Harrisburg, and  
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Clark of New  
Hope community.

Lawrence Imboden has returned  
from Chicago where he visited his  
father and mother through Christ-  
mas. Lawrence is finishing his  
high school in Galatia where he is  
on the ball team.

Bert B. Tate is staying with his  
sister, Mrs. J. F. Williams, at nights  
for a short time only.

William J. Gray, who has been  
sick so long, wants to thank the  
Baptist church, the American Le-  
gion, Mrs. Marie Lepp, Mrs. Essie  
Adams, and Mrs. Thelma Cantrell  
for their candy, fruits and flats  
during Christmas.

## Raleigh

Opal Goodson  
Correspondent

Bobby Webber spent Christmas  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben-  
nett Webber.

Christmas day callers at the  
home of Opal and Darlene Goodson  
were Mr. and Mrs. Waive Randolph  
and daughters, Sarah Lou and Jan-  
ice Lee, Evansville, Ind., Mr. and  
Mrs. Kenneth Bragg and Mr. and  
Mrs. Jess Leverett, all of Equality.

Christmas visitors in the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. Cline Bishop were  
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bishop and  
children, David, Paul and Cynthia,  
also Darrell Bishop and Norman  
Bishop, all of Moline, and Velma  
Bishop of Springfield.

MONDAY — P. M.  
5:40—Information Bureau  
5:55—Weather Vane  
6:00—Cactus Pete  
6:30—Lucky LeRoy Show  
6:45—Front Page  
7:00—Stu Erwin  
7:30—Prophets Quartet  
8:00—The Name's the Same  
8:30—Florian Zabach  
9:00—Basketball Tournament  
Highlights  
9:45—Four-Star Final  
10:00—Family Playhouse  
11:00—Sign Off

TUESDAY — P. M.  
5:40—Information Bureau  
5:55—Weather Vane  
6:00—Cactus Pete  
6:30—Lucky LeRoy  
6:45—Front Page  
7:00—China Smith  
7:30—Pantomime Quiz  
8:00—Danny Thomas  
8:30—Frigidaire Theatre  
9:45—Final Edition  
10:00—Elgin TV Theatre  
11:00—Family Playhouse  
12:00—Sign Off

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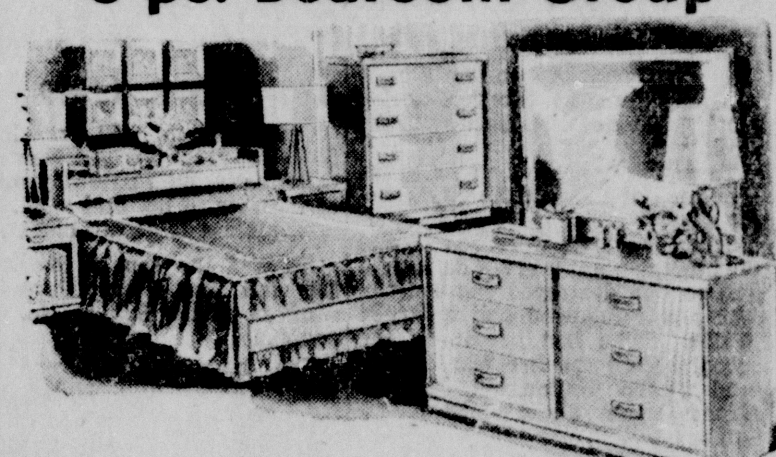


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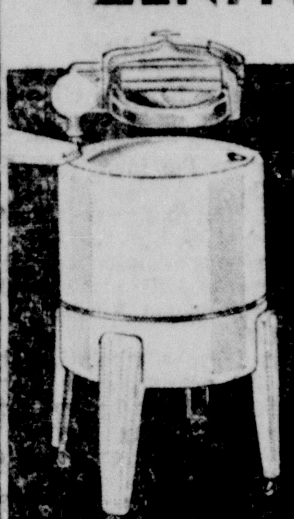


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**INJURED FIREMAN, Francis Pry,** shown sitting on lawn, hand over lacerated eye, as other firemen and unidentified woman come up to learn about his condition. Pry was taken to hospital for treatment. Pry was hit in eye by stream of water while fighting Junior high blaze. (Daily Register Staff Photo)

## Social and Personal Items

### Large Crowd Enjoys Christmas Dinner At The Roy Dixon Home

The following enjoyed a Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dixon, 1123 Washington street: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dixon, and Laura, Ferndale, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duncan and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Duncan and sons, Gene and Larry, Herrin, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dixon, Ruth Ann Hughes, Indianapolis, Ind., Matilda Ferrell, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Alexander, Lynn Alexander, Marianne Alexander, Bill Ferrell, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jack and children, Dixie and Denny, of Rathburn, Idaho, Mrs. George DeNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vinyard and son, Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, Ranelle Lavender, Jane Lavender, Mrs. Clyde Lavender, Lee Butler, Gertie Butler, Joe and Esther Sisk, Carl Sisk, Alva Cox, Barbara Peacock, all of Madisonville, Ky., Nancy Esther Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Alexander and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon and daughter, Mt. Vernon, Bill Owens, John Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Dixon, Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Rose Dixon and Lovetta, Hammond, Ind., Pete Moffitt, Sam Grathier, Rose Morse, Mrs. J. D. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hull, Mrs. Lois Humphrey, Mrs. Nell Pate, Mrs. Hattie Prather, Mrs. Lou Priest, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Ray, Anna, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hart and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dixon.

### 15 from Here Attend New Year's Tea By Eldorado Woman's Club

Fifteen from the Harrisburg Woman's club went to Eldorado Saturday to attend the annual New Year's tea by the Eldorado Woman's club, which was held at the home of Mrs. D. L. Barthel.

Associate hostesses were the officers of the Eldorado Woman's club, Mrs. Rufus Davidson, Miss Ruth Hamilton, Mrs. George Skelton and Mrs. Cecil Wood. Miss Linda Skaggs, Harrisburg, niece of Mrs. Barthel, also assisted the hostess.

Centering a beautifully appointed tea table was an arrangement of pink carnations, the club flower, intermingled with stephanotis and holly. Presiding over the tea service were Mrs. Madge Robertson, Miss Edna Burnett, Mrs. Walter Lowe, Mrs. Carl Jones, Mrs. P. L. Wettaw, and Mrs. Emil Elder.

Proceeds of the tea are used annually to buy new books for the Eldorado public library, which was founded with funds started by the Eldorado Woman's club. Music was by Miss Linda Skaggs, Harold Skelton, and Mrs. Noah Morris.

Present from Harrisburg were Mrs. Adolph Smith, Mrs. Ed Gaskins, Mrs. Ray Johnson, Mrs. Walter Unsell, Mrs. Jacob W. Myers, Mrs. M. P. McDonald, Mrs. Nellie Cline, Mrs. Nellie Meyers, Mrs. L. B. Kimmel and daughter, Frances, Mrs. E. B. Webster, Mrs. L. I. Webb, Mrs. J. J. Klein and the president of the Harrisburg club, Mrs. J. L. Miller.

**Mrs. D. L. Shain and L. H. Loos Married Saturday**  
Announcement was made today of the wedding on New Year's Day, at 10 a. m. at the Methodist church in Marion of Mrs. Naomi Ruth Shain, and L. H. Loos of Harrisburg. The Rev. Hearn, pastor of the Marion Methodist church, performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stritsel, Johnston City, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. Loos, attended the bridal couple, who are now at home at 209 East Church street. They plan a nuptial trip to Florida.

Mrs. Shain wore for her wedding a blue ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Mr. Loos, whose native home is at Jackson, Mo., has operated the B. and M. lunch stand on North Main street in Harrisburg for a few years, retiring from that business in 1954.

Mrs. Ruth Price, daughter of Mrs. Anna Stringer, arrived home Saturday from Detroit to spend New Year's with her mother and is returning Tuesday to Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coyle, 238 North Pine avenue, Chicago, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Skaggs, 321 West O'Gara, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, 24 South Vine.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Bruce have returned to their home in Bloomington following a visit over the holidays in Harrisburg with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Somers and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fred Wunderlich is a patient in Barnes hospital, St. Louis, where she entered last Thursday for a medical checkup and plastic surgery. She expects to return home Tuesday or Wednesday.

**Marriage Licenses**  
Robert Burl Curry, 19, and Barbara Anderson, 18, both of Eldorado.

**Births**  
To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boyd, 506 North Granger, a boy named Charles Joseph, weighing eight pounds, 14 ounces, born Jan. 1 at the Harrisburg hospital.

**Fined**  
Loy Lee Dodd, arrested early today by city police, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor when arraigned before Police Magistrate Charles McKenzie and was fined \$100 and costs.

## Estimate Junior High Loss At \$350,000

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northward and precautions were taken. Members of the First Christian church climbed to the roof of their church structure and wet it down to prevent a possible fire there.

**Work to Save Two Areas**  
With the old building a furnace, firemen concentrated on two areas. Most of the streams of water were played on the north part of the building and on the adjoining part of the new addition to keep the fire from spreading to it, and some were kept pouring water into the central office to try to save the records.

It turned out that the fire departments were playing it right, because although the heat was so terrific that it was damaging, fire did not break into the new structure. And it was estimated that approximately 90 per cent of the records in the central office were saved.

A large portion of the east, or rear, wall of the building, collapsed about 3:15 a. m. A few minutes later the only casualty occurred. Francis "Hunk" Pry, a volunteer fireman, received a laceration of the left eyeball when a hose, pouring out a powerful stream of water, was turned in his direction, the water striking his face at very close range.

Pry was taken to a hospital for treatment and returned to the scene of the fire. Dr. D. A. Lehman today said Pry apparently would not lose the sight in the eye.

**Records in Good Condition**  
During the height of the fire two Harrisburg firemen, Frank Patterson and Bob Mitchell Jr., entered the central office by means of a ladder and carried to the window a number of drawers of records and an adding machine as the fire burned furiously over their heads.

Sunday, after the fire was sub-

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duced, file drawers were removed from the office and inspection showed that the files were in remarkably good condition. Office equipment also was removed at that time and some of it was salvageable.

A large amount of records was kept in a fireproof vault and these were found in good condition when the vault was opened yesterday.

During the fire Mrs. Willie Pankey, who resides across the street from the school at 119 West South, kept her coffee pots busy supplying free coffee for the fire fighters in the kitchen of her home. After 4 a. m., the line was almost constant.

**\$188,000 Insurance**  
Although the definite cause of the fire was not determined, it started in the area of the boiler room. But, it was explained, it could not have started from an overheated furnace as the furnace had been worked on Friday and it contained only a small amount of fire.

School board members who estimated the replaceable loss at \$350,000 said that there was \$188,000 insurance on the original building, which was constructed in 1921, because that was the depreciated value of the building as set up by insurance companies. There is full coverage on the new addition, plus the boiler, stoker and controls in the old building installed under the new building contract.

The assembly hall, offices, old gymnasium and most of the classrooms were in the original building. In the new addition are the music, manual arts, domestic arts and art, and the cafeteria, new library and new gymnasium.

A large number of textbooks as well as the furnishings and other items were lost in the fire. The school supplies textbooks on a rental basis and many of these were

stored in the old part and others were in lockers. There are 160 lockers in the new building and it was assumed that most of the pupils who have these lockers assigned to them had books in their lockers.

**Discuss Auxiliary Heat**  
A lot of personal belongings of teachers and pupils also were lost in the blaze.

Both the original building and the new addition were heated from the same plant, which was in the northeast corner of the old building, and the school board said the new addition cannot be used for classes until heat can be supplied.

There was talk yesterday that an auxiliary heating plant will be set up in some manner to heat the new building and that classes will be started there as soon as possible. However, the opinion was that it would take about 10 days to get this into operation.

There were two other fires over the New Year holiday, the Harrisburg department reported.

At 10:45 p. m. Saturday a run was made to the 600 block of East Gaskins street, to a vacant house owned by Hiram Gregghorn. Two rear rooms of the house burned. Cause was unknown.

At 1 p. m. Sunday the fire truck was called to the home of John Goodpasture, 29 North Club street, where fire which started around the flue damaged the kitchen, living room and attic.

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REES TURNER,  
Executor

Don Scott, Attorney  
Harrisburg, Ill. 157-1

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Galatia 48. 155-30

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this evening. It has been announce-  
ed by R. Dale Wilson, county su-  
perintendent of schools. The courses  
have been held at Junior high but  
because of the fire have been moved  
to the high school.

This may not be the permanent  
location for the courses Mr. Wilson  
said, but all classes will be held  
there tonight. If it is found neces-  
sary to hold classes at other  
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# Tight The Wild River

by EDMUNDS CLAUSSEN

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Captain Crotch stood hard by the rail on the port side of the weather-stained General Heath and wondered what was on the minds of the lusty river crowd. There was more to their clamoring for deck passage than showed on the surface.

This year of 1862 was a crucial one in the great war. Despite the virtual isolation of Arizona, the

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## Coach Rupp 'Rebuilt' His Kentucky Squad with Ready-Made Team

By JIMMY BRESLIN  
NEA Staff Correspondent  
LEXINGTON, Ky. — (NEA) — Adolph Rupp, now in his 25th year as Kentucky basketball coach, seems to have finally found the secret of winning basketball games with a minimum of wear and tear on the nervous system.

Not that the Baron has been doing badly. His over-all record shows an 85.6 percentage and last year's outfit went undefeated throughout a 25-game schedule. It's just that this year's edition of the Wildcats seems to do things much more simply.

No less an authority than Ken Loeffler, coach of the defending NCAA champion, La Salle, concurs.

"The Wildcats stack three guys who are 6-6 or better around the basket and take six or seven shots at a time," he notes. "One of them goes in. They go back and give the other team one shot, grab the ball — and start all over again."

In a year supposed to be a rebuilding affair, Kentucky fans were presented with a club which, on any given night, is probably as fine a college team as ever has been assembled.

It took only five games for basketball people to begin rating this team with not only last season's Cliff Hagan-Frank Ramsey-Lou Tsiropoulos outfit, but also the once-famous Five of the scandalous Alex Groza-Ralph Beard era.

This year's Kentucky outfit may be dubbed here and there along the way, but you'll have to chalk that up to the normal hazards of playing a 24-game college schedule.

Rupp had, you see, a ready-made squad. All that was needed was one more big man. Lon Morris Junior College of Jacksonville, Tex., came to the rescue with 6-7 Bob Burrow, the "Bevo Francis of Junior College Basketball."

Burrow got off to a slow start against Louisiana State, but scored with 12 of 30 shots against tough Temple and grabbed 34 rebounds.

He is the lone out-of-stater on the roster.

With Burrow, Rupp put veteran Jerry Bird, 6-6, underneath. Southpaw Phil Grawmeyer, 6-7 1/2, helps off the boards. Grawmeyer has a fine outside shot to boot.

Bill Evans and Linville Puckett hold down the back court. Evans can be murderous if the defense backs off in an attempt to hold down the height problem Kentucky presents underneath.

Evans is a familiar story, as far as Kentucky is concerned. This is his fifth year in the school. He is ineligible to compete in the NCAA tournament, as were Hagan and Company last year.

This shouldn't bother Rupp too much. All he has to do is reach along the bench and pluck off somebody like Gayle Rose, a senior who would star at 300 other schools.

Rupp, of course, is the last guy to admit all this.

"We have a long way to go," he says, then quickly goes into accolades about last season's team. The Baron maintains that was his greatest. This season is merely a

Evidence that bacteria caused plant disease was discovered at the University of Illinois in 1881, years before the discovery that bacteria cause human and animal diseases.

blood in their eyes as they bore down on him. A man didn't have to love the South to hate the tar out of a Lincoln sympathizer. The President, at the outset of war, along with his near-sighted few dragon companies stationed in remote posts. It had the effect of turning the Apaches loose on Arizona. And now, as soon as the mob succeeded in pulling Dreyfus to the deck, they would boot out his brains.

Crotch moved in, trying to find a place beside Dreyfus. "Break it up!" he yelled.

All afternoon the fight had simmered. It had come, politics or not. And now a miner roared, "You too, Captain!"

He came after Crotch with an axe handle he had picked up between the cargo. His blow caught Crotch on the temple, opening a gash above the eye and tearing away part of the eyebrow. That one wild second put desperation into the fight. Crotch drove at the man in blind rage, grappling with him and bending his arm until the man screamed. As the fingers released their club Crotch drove his fist smashing through in an uppercut. It dropped the miner to his knees.



**TOWERING — Phil Grawmeyer, 6-7 1/2 southpaw, helps Kentucky hit the other side from all angles. (NEA)**

rebuilding year, he professes to believe.

Nor does Adolph Rupp talk about the usual Kentucky freshman team Harry Lancaster is schooling. Five members of that outfit are 6-5 or better.

But they, of course, have a long way to go—four whole years before they graduate.

## College Teams Begin Official Conference Play

### Wisconsin Takes Early Lead with 79-64 Win Over Illini

By United Press  
College basketball lays aside the tinsel trappings of holiday tournaments and gets down to the brass tacks of official conference play tonight with the Big Ten and the Pacific Coast conference heading the schedule.

The last major tourney champion of the Christmas season was only crowned at Buffalo, N. Y., on Saturday night when Canisius whipped St. Bonaventure, 59-66, in the finals of the Queen City Invitational.

But that victory was overshadowed that night by a non-tournament game in which North Carolina State, the nation's No. 2 ranked team riding a 12-game unbeaten streak this season, took a 91-78 wallop from twice-beaten Villanova for one of the major upsets of the season.

The Big Ten staged its first official action of the season on Saturday when Wisconsin drubbed Illinois, 79-64, but that famed league really starts cooking on all burners tonight with a program of four games: Indiana-Michigan, Wisconsin-Iowa, Ohio State-Michigan State and Northwestern-Minnesota.

**Coast League Opens**  
A single game at Pullman, Wash., matching Oregon and Washington State, lifts the curtain on the Pacific Coast conference season tonight and that league will be going full blast at the end of the week.

The Big Seven and the Southwestern conferences both begin official play Tuesday night, each with three games. The Skyline conference begins Thursday night with four games involving every league team. The Southeastern conference, which has had only one game, will stage one on Friday night and then go into high gear Saturday with five.

Kentucky, ranked the nation's No. 1 team, ran its winning streak to seven games this season and 32 over a two-year span by trouncing Temple, 101-69. The Wildcats set a new record for Philadelphia's Convention Hall by sinking 43 baskets, two over the record set nine years ago by Rhode Island State. Pacing the Kentucky assault were Bob Burrow with 25 points and Ray Milcox with 24 but Temple's Harry Silcox had 29.

LaSalle, ranked No. 3 nationally, played the only major game on Sunday and downed St. Louis, 88-79, in St. Louis. The defending NCAA champions broke out of a 62-62 tie with 10 minutes left with six straight points on two set shots by Charles Singley and two free throws by All-American Tom Gola and never were headed. Gola had 34 points, Singley 24.

## Looking At Sports

By TIM TURNER

The Egyptian Holiday tournament is over but a few might like to know that the high scorer of the tournament was Jarrell Graham, Mt. Vernon guard who put 68 points through the hoop in three games.

Second high was the Edwardsville forward, Mannie Jackson, who had 65. Third and fourth were Gale Dawson of West Frankfort and Governor Vaughn of Edwardsville.

The all-star team was voted by sports writers immediately following the last game and total scores were not consulted, but it is significant that the four top scorers were named to the five. The other was Bill Penilton of Edwardsville, who finished 11th in the scoring. But Penilton's value lay not so much in his buckets as in his floor play and defensive work. He was as quick as a cat and as steady as your best boy friend.

Teams in the eight-school tournament either played three games or one. Those who were not eliminated the first round played three and they were Edwardsville, West Frankfort, Mt. Vernon and Carbon-dale.

I've tallied the scoring for all players who made 10 points or more and here is how it comes out: (Note: E for Edwardsville, MV for Mt. Vernon, WF for West Frankfort, Hbg. for Harrisburg, C for Carbon-dale, Z for Zeigler, CM for Carrier Mills and M for Murphysboro)

| Player         | Games | FG | FT | TP |
|----------------|-------|----|----|----|
| J. Graham, MV  | 3     | 28 | 12 | 68 |
| Jackson, E     | 3     | 24 | 17 | 65 |
| Dawson, WF     | 3     | 18 | 21 | 57 |
| Vaughn, E      | 3     | 15 | 24 | 54 |
| Deichman, MV   | 3     | 15 | 18 | 48 |
| Peeler, WF     | 3     | 15 | 17 | 47 |
| Marlin, C      | 3     | 20 | 6  | 46 |
| Florian, WF    | 3     | 16 | 6  | 38 |
| Kimmel, C      | 3     | 10 | 13 | 33 |
| J. Langan, C   | 3     | 13 | 12 | 38 |
| Penilton, E    | 3     | 15 | 7  | 37 |
| Brookman, WF   | 3     | 15 | 6  | 36 |
| Raubach, MV    | 3     | 13 | 8  | 34 |
| Neal, MV       | 3     | 9  | 10 | 28 |
| Patton, E      | 3     | 10 | 6  | 26 |
| Mikeworth, MV  | 3     | 8  | 6  | 22 |
| McDaniels, WF  | 3     | 9  | 4  | 22 |
| Loveless, C    | 3     | 7  | 8  | 22 |
| Angeline, Hbg. | 1     | 8  | 5  | 21 |
| O. Rollins, CM | 1     | 4  | 11 | 19 |
| Funkhouser, Z  | 1     | 5  | 9  | 19 |
| Fenzel, C      | 3     | 7  | 6  | 19 |
| McPherson, Z   | 1     | 4  | 9  | 17 |
| Price, Hbg.    | 1     | 4  | 7  | 15 |
| Fitts, CM      | 1     | 5  | 5  | 15 |
| Wilson, Hbg.   | 1     | 5  | 4  | 14 |
| Pulliam, E     | 3     | 7  | 0  | 14 |
| Berns, CM      | 1     | 3  | 4  | 10 |
| Casleton, M    | 1     | 5  | 0  | 10 |
| M. Langan, C   | 3     | 3  | 4  | 10 |

Might point out that David Anglin of Harrisburg led all scorers who participated in but one game. And if you didn't know it, Francis Florian, quite a regular with the Frankfort team, is a 6-3, 215-pound freshman. Yep, a freshman. And Don Neil, quite a boy with Mt. Vernon, is a sophomore.

## PREP SCHEDULE Tonight

Equality at Ridgway.  
Tuesday, Jan. 4  
Carrier Mills at Cave-in-Rock.  
Anna-Jonesboro at Carbon-dale.  
Vienna at Metropolis.  
Thompsonville at Waltonville.  
Norris City at McLeansboro.  
Cairo at Mounds.  
Carmi at Fairfield.  
Wednesday, Jan. 5  
Royalton at Crab Orchard.  
Thursday, Jan. 6  
Woodlawn at Thompsonville.  
Friday, Jan. 7  
Centralia at Harrisburg.  
Elkville at Carterville.  
St. Louis at Herrin.  
Metropolis at Johnston City.  
Marion at Benton.  
West Frankfort at Mt. Vernon.  
McLeansboro at Eldorado.  
Pope County at Galatia.  
Roselarie at Vienna.  
Cave-in-Rock at Ridgway.  
Shawneetown at Equality.  
Waterloo at Coulterville.  
Sparta at Anna-Jonesboro.  
Salem at Flora.  
Mt. Carmel at Carmi.  
Du Quoin at Murphysboro.  
Saturday, Jan. 8  
Harrisburg at Marion.  
Carterville at Carrier Mills.  
Zeigler at Herrin.  
Johnston City at Murphysboro.  
Flora at Centralia.  
Carbon-dale at West Frankfort.  
Eldorado at Galatia.  
Pinckneyville at Chester.  
Mt. Carmel at Salem.  
Coulterville at Trico.

## Santee Wins Sugar Bowl Mile In Slow Time

NEW ORLEANS — Wes Santee, the world's greatest active miler, had no apologies today for his slow time in the Sugar Bowl Track Meet.

"I'll break four minutes when the conditions are right," said the 22-year old Ashland, Kan., "Antelope" who will next run Jan. 16 at Los Angeles.

Santee put together quarters of 68-62-65-59 for a disappointing 4:14, far off his unofficial American mile record of 4:06-6 set at the Compton Relays last June.

The race, however, was held on a track still soggy from rain that forced a postponement of the meet from Friday until Sunday. An early morning rain Sunday left the track even slower.

**Set Record in 1953**  
The six-one 146-pound Kansas set the Sugar Bowl record of 4:04-2 last year.

Kansas completed the sweep of Sunday's mile. Bill Tidwell, Emporia, Kan. (Kan. State) was second at 4:15-5 and Kansas University's Art Dazall, third, in 4:15-5.

**Big Jim Mashburn**, independent from Oklahoma A&M, was chosen "most outstanding" athlete of the meet for his stellar performance in defeating NCAA champ Jim Lea of Southern Cal in the 440-yard run.

Mashburn, former Olympic performer, finished in 48.0, followed by Lea, 48.8, and Rice's Harold Griffin, 49.9.

**New Relay Record**  
The Rice one-mile relay team, Griffin, Roy Thompson, George Salmon, and Don Puck, broke the old Sugar Bowl record of 3:16-4 set by Oklahoma A&M in 1949 with a 3:16-1 performance. Second-place Texas University also broke the old record in 3:16-3. Oklahoma A&M was third in 3:18-6.



**MOST WATCH FIRE** but one watches camera at this scene of burning bulk of original Junior high school building, constructed in 1921. Collapsing of rear wall gave spectators better view of flames devouring inside of building. (Daily Register Staff Photo)

## Mal Whitfield Wins Sullivan Memorial Trophy

NEW YORK — Mal Whitfield, the track star who sets a goal for himself each year, achieved one of his highest ones today when he was named winner of the James E. Sullivan Memorial Trophy as the country's outstanding amateur athlete of 1954.

Ironically, the fastest half-mile in track history was a year behind his own "target" date in landing the top honor that can be bestowed on a U. S. amateur athlete.

For Whitfield — who never has lost a championship race at his distance and who smoothes his opposition with some of the most graceful strides ever displayed — tried to win the Sullivan trophy in 1953. He said he would perform such feats during that campaign but he could not fail to become the first Negro to receive the award.

He set five world records in 1953, two outdoors and three indoors, but was excluded from the final Sullivan balloting because he was being investigated for alleged violations of amateur rules. He was cleared and won the 1954 award with a total of 1,689 points.

Mrs. Patricia Keller McCormick, the Los Angeles Athletic Club water star who scored a springboard — platform diving double in the 1952 Olympics, was second in the balloting for the second straight year. She received 149 first-place votes and a total of 1,323 points.

Tom Gola, All-America basketball player from LaSalle, placed third with 82 first-place votes and 662 points.

## Quarterbacks Praised in Ohio State and Navy Victories in Rose Bowl, Sugar Bowl Games

By United Press  
Even the most critical Monday morning quarterbacks joined in the cheering today for three of Saturday's quarterbacks who personally guided Ohio State and Navy to brilliant bowl victories on New Year's Day.

As a group, quarterbacks dominated practically every game played Jan. 1 but their eye-catching performances somehow attracted the most attention in the Rose and Sugar Bowl games.

The nation's television viewers who watched Ohio State's 20-7 victory over Southern California in the mud-drenched Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif., for example, couldn't help but notice Buckeye quarterback Dave Leggett each time they looked at the screen. He ran to one touchdown, passed to another and sparked a drive that led to the third score.

**Credits Quarterbacks**  
Navy Coach Eddie Erdelatz said that first and second-string quarterbacks George Welsh and Dick Ehard "did it for us" after the Middles mauls Mississippi, 21-0, in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans.

Leggett, Welsh and Ehard seemed to set the pattern for other quarterbacks to follow in virtually all New Year's Day games.

Don Bailey, Penn State quarterback, was voted the outstanding player in the East's 13-12 victory over the West in the annual Shrine game at San Francisco, and quarterback Jerry Barger of Duke passed for two touchdowns in the Blue Devils' 34-7 rout of Nebraska in the Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla.

Line-smashing fullbacks featured George Tech's 14-6 victory over Arkansas in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Tex. but in the Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex., quarterback Steve Whitenton passed for three touchdowns, ran for two and kicked five extra points as Texas Western licked Florida State, 47-20.

In the game at the Rose Bowl, played under the worst conditions since Stanford met Columbia there in 1934, Leggett put the Buckeyes ahead to stay in the second period when he ran and passed to a pair of touchdowns. Aramis Dandoy saved Southern Cal from being shutout when he set a Rose Bowl record by returning a second period punt 86 yards for a touchdown.

**Delighted With Victory**  
Erdelatz, naturally delighted with Navy's victory in the Middles' first bowl appearance since 1924, said beating Mississippi was "easier than I thought it would be." The Navy coach added, "we had two quarterbacks, Welsh and Ehard, and they did it for us. Our great backs, Joe Gattuso and John Weaver, did whatever else we needed."

Gattuso scored two Navy TD's on rushes and Weaver scored the other on a spectacular catch of a Welsh pass. Navy made 20 first downs to Mississippi's five in the one-sided contest.

Bailey scored the East's first touchdown in the Shrine game and

teammate Jim Garrity booted the extra point that decided the contest after Ralph Guglielmi (Notre Dame) passed to John Kerr (Purdue) for the East's tying touchdown.

Nebraska proved no match for Duke in the Orange Bowl. In addition to Barger's two scoring passes, Bob Pascal scored one TD and set up another while Nick McKeithan went over for the other Blue Devil touchdown. Don Comstock's scoring plunge saved the Cornhuskers from a shutout.

**Arkansas Boggled**  
In the Cotton Bowl, Arkansas never seemed the same after losing blocking back Preston Carpenter because of a pulled chest muscle in the second period. The Razorbacks were ahead at that point but Georgia Tech went ahead on a 53-yard third period scoring drive and then clinched the game in the final period when Wade Mitchell went over from the one-yard line to cap a 43-yard march.

In other bowls:  
Salad Bowl, Phoenix, Ariz. — Quarterback Rusty Faily of Denver, who scored twice and was voted the game's outstanding player, paced the Skyline Conference All-Stars to a 20-13 victory over the Border Conference All-Stars.

Prairie View Bowl, Houston, Tex. — Quarterback Charlie Bracken's two conversions spelled the difference in Prairie View's 14-12 victory over Texas Southern.

Tangerine Bowl, Orlando, Fla. — Bill Engelhardt, nation's top small college ground gainer, passed for a TD and kicked extra point to lead Omaha to a 7-6 victory over Eastern Kentucky.



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# Eisenhower Returns from Vacation for Opening of 84th Congress Wednesday

By LYLE C. WILSON  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower was home today from his Georgia golfing vacation, confronted with an opposition Congress eager for political warfare on the domestic front.

The opening skirmishes of the 1956 presidential campaign will take place in the first session of the new 84th Congress which convenes Wednesday at noon.

Mr. Eisenhower will unfold before Republican legislative leaders and members of his cabinet his political program in a White House meeting today. He will discuss with them his annual message on the State of the Union which he personally will deliver Jan. 6 before a joint session.

Conservatives Express Anxiety

The President has drafted a message representative of the moderate progressive political position which he assumes and which he warns his Republican brothers they must accept if the party is to survive. There is some anxiety among conservative Republicans that Mr. Eisenhower's moderate progressive-

ism will be so far left of center as to satisfy the Democratic opposition while antagonizing the right wing of the President's own party.

Seven messages in bang bang order are scheduled after Thursday's:

Jan. 10: Foreign trade; Jan. 11: Pay raises for civil servants including postal employees and hiked postal rates to cover the latter; Jan. 13: Military pay raises and a new armed services reserve program; Jan. 17: Budget; Jan. 20: The report of the President's Council of Economic Advisers; Jan. 24: Recommendation that the federal government set up a fund of about 25 million dollars to underwrite extension of private health insurance; and Jan. 27: Multi-billion dollar highway program.

Substantial Harmony

A substantial area of harmony has been staked out for bi-partisan collaboration in enacting some of the White House program. Rep. Sam Rayburn (D-Tex.), who will be speaker in the new Congress, told the United Press he is ready to go along with Mr. Eisenhower in postponing scheduled reductions in corporation taxes and excise taxes on such things as gasoline and cig-

arets.

Democrats may challenge him, however, with a plan to increase individual income tax exemptions, a gesture toward lower income bracket voters.

The President can expect strong Republican and Democratic support for his foreign policy, including the velvet glove approach to Asia. But a big scale program for economic aid to Asia may suffer opposition from conservatives of both parties.

Most Democrats are expected to support and many Republicans to oppose the President's comparatively low-tariff, reciprocal trade program. On public housing, health insurance, an increase of the minimum wage from 75 to 90 cents an hour, the President can expect substantial Democratic support as far as he wants to go. Both parties will be notably divided on any plan to revise the Taft-Hartley Act.

Farm Price Battle

Battle lines are forming on farm legislation with the House inclined to return to the high and inflexible supports which Congress junked last year. The Senate might not go along but, in any event, Mr. Eisenhower probably would veto such legislation.

Sen. Richard B. Russell (D-Ga.) indicated to the United Press the Senate Armed Services committee would give the President's military manpower program a long, cold look. Russell will be committee chairman in the 84th Congress. Mr. Eisenhower plans to reduce military manpower by 403,000 men in the next 18 months and to set up a new reserve system.

Public power and internal security are the issues on which the Democrats are most determined to give Mr. Eisenhower trouble in the new Congress, seeking issues which could pay off in 1956. Linked with overall power policies in which the President hopes to encourage private enterprise to the utmost, is the specific case of the Dixon-Yates contract with the Atomic Energy Commission to build a steam-power plant in eastern Arkansas. The Democrats claim the stiff security regulations imposed by Mr. Eisenhower are unjust. This dispute has been personalized and publicized by the case of Wolf Ladejinsky, a long time agricultural expert in the State Department who was transferred, along with others, to the Agriculture Department some months ago.

Ladejinsky was secure enough for State but Agriculture found him wanting on "technical and security grounds." Both departments are standing pat. The Democrats will seek to use the Ladejinsky case to dishonor the entire Eisenhower security system. They are favored in this effort by the fact that the Republicans, themselves, cannot agree on Ladejinsky.

Eugene Irvin Home Is Damaged by Fire

The Eugene Irvin residence at 406 West South was damaged by fire Thursday night.

Prompt action by the Harrisburg fire department confined the fire damage to one bedroom, but the entire house was damaged from water and smoke.

The Irvins had been away from home since Tuesday and did not

know of the fire until they returned late Saturday afternoon.

The fire, in the front, west bedroom, was noticed by a passerby, who called the fire department. It is not known how the fire started.

Stratton Reports '54 Highway Program Cost Record \$98 Million

SPRINGFIELD — Gov. William G. Stratton reported that 1954 state highway construction cost a record 98 million dollars, with improvements of various types of 1,059 miles of primary and secondary roads.

The 1954 construction spending topped 1953 spending by 14.6 million and 1952 by more than 26.8 million dollars.

Frick to Speak To County Historical Group

The January meeting of the Saline County Historical Society will be held at the Mitchell-Carnegie library in Harrisburg at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Yearly dues of \$2 are due at this time. Those persons interested in preserving the history of southern Illinois and Saline county are invited to become members of the society.

James Bond, chairman of the committee on markers, will explain the progress of that committee and the work of other committees will also be reviewed.

Paul A. Frick, feature editor of the Marion Daily Republican, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Frick will tell the history of Williamson county. His story deals with Tecumseh, mighty chief of the Shawnees, and his arch-enemy Du Quoin, chief of the Kaskaskias; the life and conflicts of these tribes; the establishment of block houses; early pioneer life; and famous pioneer families who selected Williamson county as their homes.

Mr. Frick has done extensive research into the history of the county. He has thirty years of newspaper work which has fitted him to hunt out and record interesting and amusing stories which he relates in a "Folksy Way." It is not often that the society has the opportunity to hear a man with such breadth of experience.

Mr. Frick, besides his newspaper work in southern Illinois, served his country during World War II in the extremely Secret Information Service in the Pentagon in Washington, D. C. He was with the Army for 25 years and is now retired. He chose to continue his active life as a member of the staff of the Marion paper.

The society has not had the privilege of hearing a program dealing with Williamson county and this one gives promise of being as interesting as the program on Franklin county enjoyed in September at Liberty church.

Guests are always welcome and urged to attend any and all meetings of the society. A special invitation is extended to the residents of Marion and Williamson county.

The Hospitality committee, composed of Mrs. James Bond, chairman, Miss Alvina Shestak, Mrs. E. E. Ledford, and Mrs. Ray Durham, has arranged the social hour in keeping with the pioneer theme.

Hammar-skjold Leaves India For Red China

NEW DELHI, India (UP)—U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammar-skjold left today for Red China with hopes for success of his mission to free jailed U. S. airmen lifted by reports of favorable reaction to his fateful flight to Peking.

Hammar-skjold and his party departed by plane for Calcutta—their last stop on the free side of the Bamboo Curtain—after a two-hour talk between the secretary general and Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru of India.

Nehru earlier had been critical of Hammar-skjold's mission because he thought the United Nations had acted too hastily in ordering it.

The official Indian Information Service quoted Nehru as commenting that Hammar-skjold's mission "will do some good."

Say Chinese People Approve

This government agency also reported that the visit of Hammar-skjold to Peking was being looked on favorably by the Chinese people.



THE FLAMES ARE GONE, the crowd is gone, the fire department is gone, but the charred hulk of the Harrisburg Junior high building, taken the day after the disastrous fire, remains, as barren-looking as the trees around. This shot was made from South street at the intersection of the alley that runs north and south between Jackson and Webster, looking toward the southeast corner of the building.

(Daily Register Staff Photo)

Carrier Mills Register

Kenneth Hart Correspondent

Mrs. Wilma Elms Hostess To Christmas Party

A group of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Wilma Elms Saturday night to enjoy a Christmas party. The house was beautifully decorated in keeping with the Christmas season.

Refreshments of white cake, fruit cake, fruit salad, ice cream, coffee, tea and Cokes were served to the following: Evadne Raley, Carrier Mills, Clem Overton, Harrisburg, Iris Lea Hatley, Carrier Mills, Homer Rodgers, Harrisburg, Mildred Moore, Homer James and Wanda Evans, Harrisburg, Woodrow Hise of Chicago, Coleta Garrison, Harrisburg, Clarence Allen, Eldorado, Pearl Harper, Harrisburg, Byford Dalton, East St. Louis, Thomas Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nolen of Carrier Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dalton of East St. Louis, Mrs. Hilda Dalton, Carrier Mills, Denny and Kenny Dalton, James Earl and Carol Dianne Elms and the hostess, Wilma Elms.

Surprise Birthday Party Honors Mrs. Wilma Elms

A surprise birthday party was given Tuesday night, Dec. 28, at the home of Mrs. Hilda Dalton in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Wilma Elms.

Mrs. Muriel Nolen entertained the group with piano selections and pictures were made.

The guest of honor enjoyed opening her many gifts after which refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and coffee were served to Iris Lea Hatley, Homer Rodgers, Evadne Raley, Clem Overton, Coleta Garrison, Clarence Allen, Mable Tanner, Jessie Hammond, Barbara Black, Mrs. Gladys Blue, Mrs. Muriel Nolen, Mrs. Hilda Dalton, Thomas Swan, James Earl Elms, Carol Diane Elms and the guest of honor.

Motorists Urged To Give Clearance To Fire Truck

Fire Chief Ray Johnson today said that motorists are blocking off the fire department truck at fire scenes and urged drivers to stay back at a reasonable distance.

The situation was not so bad at the Junior high school fire because, due to the hour, the fire trucks got there before the motoring public.

However, at fires Saturday night and Sunday afternoon, autos that got there in a hurry hampered the fire department. It was especially true at a fire that occurred at 1 p. m. Sunday.

One motorist was fined, officers said, for going through a barricade and running over a fire hose on a street at the Junior high school at 8 p. m. Saturday.

Top Coat Restored To Owner Through Classified Ad

The Daily Register classified "For Sale" ads restored to Jerry Walker his top coat, which he lost on Christmas eve, and was found in an automobile belonging to the Gilchrist family at Carrier Mills.

A Golconda couple who saw in The Register classified "For Sale" column a used piano advertised by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boyett found the instrument they wanted for their children.

Just don't try to iron shirts on the day you have a classified ad appearing in The Register, unless your husband likes that plisse look!

Illinois Bank Thieves in '54 Took \$106,508 Loot

CHICAGO (UP)—Robbers victimized fewer banks in Illinois during 1954 but got away with more loot, the Illinois Bankers Assn. said today.

Five banks were robbed, two suffered attempted holdups and another fell victim to burglars during the year. That compared with 12 bank robberies and one burglary in 1953.

However, in 1954, the thieves took \$106,508 compared to \$102,590 in 1953.

Banks robbed during 1954, with the approximate amount taken, were:

First State Bank of Olmsted, \$16,778; Ashland State Bank, Chicago, \$46,850; First National Bank, Homer, \$27,700; First National Bank, Sandoval, \$11,700, and State Bank of Lathan, \$1,810.

A burglary cost the Algonquin State Bank \$1,670 in coins. Attempted robberies were made on the Frankfort State Bank and the Mazon State Bank but were foiled by alert employees.

Death Takes Herman Owen, 59

Herman Owen, 59, living on Harrisburg RFD 1, died today at 2:30 a. m. in the Harrisburg hospital. Death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage. He had last worked at Peabody 43 mine.

He leaves his wife, the former Mable Stricklin, and two children, Loren C. Owen of Chicago, and Mrs. Maxine Conway of Lake Village, Ill. and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Social Brethren church in Rocky Branch where he was a member. Rev. Norman Cozart and Rev. Walter Holmes will officiate, and burial will be in the Lindale Memorial Gardens. The body will be returned to the residence late today from the Turner funeral home.

He was also a member of the Dorrisville I. O. O. F. lodge.

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